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PATENT 3759-0113P

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Applicant:

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

April 24, 2002

Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated October 24, 2001 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 18-38.

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The applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of three (3) month(s) pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a).

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Respectfully submitted,
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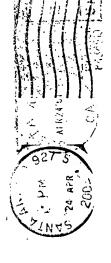
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